

The Bloomfield Record.

(OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE TOWNSHIP.)

A. M. HULIN, Editor and Proprietor.

FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 1875.

All who are interested in having a live newspaper in this village are requested to send by mail, or to the publishing office, local items of news, correspondence, etc., for publication.

No charge is made for publishing Marriages, Deaths, or Religious Notices. Single numbers of THE RECORD can always be had at this Office, at the Post Office, and of the Newsdealers. All kinds of PRINTING done at THE RECORD Office.

Town Committee Proceedings.

The Town Committee met on Friday evening, March 19th, all the members being present.

Mr. John Sherman was elected chairman. The official oaths of J. F. Folsom, Township Clerk, Jos. K. Oakes, Assessor, and J. M. Walker, Overseer of Poor, were accepted.

Oaths of R. N. Dodd and John G. Keyler, Com. of Appeal, were also accepted.

Meetings for sidewalk grading appropriations were appointed to take place in the several districts on Monday, March 29, at 8 o'clock P. M.

The following appointments were made:

W. K. Williamson, Esq., to be Town Counsel.

E. M. Ward, M. D., to be Town Physician.

Town Committee meetings were designated to be held on the 2d and 4th Fridays of each month, at 3 o'clock P. M.

The following Standing Committees were appointed by Chairman Sherman:

Roads—Messrs. Van Houten, Benson and Freeman.

Sidewalks—Hayes and Freeman.

Poor and Poor House—Van Houten and Baldwin.

Gas—Hayes and Freeman.

Public Ground—Oakes and Baldwin.

Contingencies—Oakes and Hayes.

The Committee on Contingencies were instructed to provide meeting room for the Town Committee.

The Montclair Gas and Water Co.'s bill for \$1,534.74 was ordered paid.

Bill of W. P. Lyon for advertising, \$1.50, and of H. H. Baldwin, as Clerk of Election, \$12.00, ordered paid.

A communication was received from Mr. Wm. D. Foulke, stating that his name had been erroneously returned as a delinquent tax payer and requesting that the Town Committee make examination in reference thereto, and in reference to other tax payers whose names had been returned as delinquents, to ascertain whether the taxes so reported were actually unpaid. It was suggested that through serious mistakes of this kind the property of non-resident tax payers might be sold for taxes, and a complication of titles result which would occasion much embarrassment. The letter was ordered on file.

The board of the newly elected Collector was fixed at \$40,000.

Mr. John Kierstead was appointed Road Master.

The bonds of Moses Davis and Geo. W. Perry as Constables, were accepted.

Adjourned.

New Publications.

PETERS' HOUSEHOLD MELODIES, No. 4, contains a sprightly ballad entitled "My Wife Waiting at the Door," Music by J. R. Thomas. Also a pretty Song and Chorus, "When First I Met Thee," words by Frank Dumont, music by James E. Stewart. Another choice piece is entitled "Let Sunshine In," Song and Chorus by Danks. A serenade piece, by Waul, for one voice with instrumental accompaniment; a Duet, "Spring-time," by Franz Abt, and a number of other fine pieces. The price of the "Melodies" is exceedingly low for such a variety and quality of new music. Single numbers 50 cents; by the year \$4.00. Published Monthly by J. L. Peters, 599 Broadway, New York.

The Quarterly Meeting of the Missionary Society of the Sunday School of the First Presbyterian Church will be held in the church on Sunday evening next at 7:30 o'clock. The exercises will consist of the report of the Treasurer, addresses by Jacob F. Randolph Esq., and Rev. W. E. Eddy, of Beirut, Syria, with singing by the children. All are invited to attend.

Rev. Henry Spellmeyer, who has served the M. E. Church in this place most acceptably and faithfully during three years, concludes his term of service next Sunday. He will not preach a farewell sermon, but will address the members of the church at the Communion service in the morning at 9 o'clock.

The Directors of the Library Association have called a meeting of the stockholders to the enterprise, inviting them to meet at the Euclidian Society's room on Monday evening next. The importance that all who are interested in this project should attend the meeting is obvious.

Just now when spelling-matches are so popular, WEBSTER comes to the front as a *sine qua non*. Moreover, No. 100 regulated household is complete with a copy of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary. We would soon think of getting along without a cook-stove.

The West End Neighborhood Prayer Meeting will be held at the residence of Robert Peck, Linden and Midland Aves., Tuesday evening, March 26, at a quarter of 8 o'clock.

A Trip to Bermuda.

On the clear, cold afternoon of February 18th, we bade farewell to our friends on the pier, and set sail in the steamship "Canima," for a pleasure trip to Bermuda. It was a beautiful afternoon; feeling bright and happy, anticipating the good time we were going to have, we remained on deck until seven o'clock, when we went below to partake of our first supper at sea. When about half through, we were startled by hearing the anchor drop and the paying out of the cable. So there was a rush, to find out the cause. I afterwards learned that something was the matter with the packing of the boiler, and we would have to "lay too" for four hours, which we did notwithstanding the complaints of the passengers. The night was moonlight, and the moon beams on the fields of ice floating by were like ten little diamonds. At 11 o'clock our poplar began to revolve and we were off once more. At 11:30 we discharged our pilot, who had no little difficulty in reaching his boat on account of the ice. I then went below and turned into my berth. "Rocked by the measured swell of the waves, and lulled by the murmur of the distant surf," I soon passed tranquilly out of all consciousness of the day.

Friday passed quietly away; we were making good headway and there was all probability of having a fine voyage. I remarked to my cousin that I would like to see a very rough sea. When I woke up Saturday the wind was blowing a gale, the sea was very rough, and it was raining furiously; it continued all day. My upper berth became soaked through, and the cabin leaked badly. Nearly all the passengers were sick, and if one wanted to sleep he must stop his ears up. My cousin came up and wanted to know why I did not come up and see the sea rough.

On Sunday morning the storm had abated. The sea was very handsome, a deep blue; and when the sun came out it was a fine sight. On Monday we had to "lay to" until 12 o'clock to enable the Captain to take an observation. When the observation had been taken he found that we were thirty miles southeast of the island, which we made at 2 o'clock. A pilot was close at hand looking for us, so we were not delayed. The harbor is very beautiful to look upon, but it is very dangerous, on account of the coral reefs which extend fifteen miles out.

The large island is 15 miles long and 5 wide. They lie about seven hundred miles southeast of New York. Their climate soil, and picturesque scenery render them especially interesting. The general direction of the islands is from north-east to southwest. They are in the latitude of Charleston, S. C., and the nearest point on the continent is Cape Hatteras, five hundred and eighty miles distant.

The arrival of the steamer was made known by a flag from the Government House. The news having been telegraphed over the island, the crowd of people on the wharf indicated the interest which attached to our arrival. The majority of the people are colored, with a sprinkling of men well-to-do and English in appearance. The presence of the British soldiers suggests the fact that this is one of England's military stations. All strangers are struck with the honest civility of the people. The town contains three or four hotels, to the largest of which we made our way. The Hamilton Hotel is situated on a high hill, commanding a view of the whole town. One's first thought on arriving is that there has been a fall of snow, the roofs are so white and clean. The houses are all made of Bermuda stone. It is of a creamy white, and so porous as to appear as if it would crumble in a day. It is saved out of the ground with a coarse hand saw. Each house has a little flower garden in front. The doors and windows stand wide open. The drives are beautiful; walls of stone extend along the roadside, and over them climb the morning-glory, the prickly pear, and the night-blooming cereus. Great beds of geraniums grow wild. Patches of land are bordered by a dozen different varieties of oleanders, and when they are in full bloom the whole island looks as if it were on fire. The profusion of flowers is wonderful. You can gather a bouquet at any time. I was told by one gentleman that he had one hundred and fifty different kinds of roses. No care is taken to cultivate flowers.

The beauty and variety of the flowers are fully equalled by the fruits. Oranges of a fine quality are raised, though their culture is neglected; the lemon grows wild. The papaya, mango, guava, pomegranate, fig, custard apple and banana, (which dies after yielding its fruit,) also flourish. There is a large arrow root factory on the island. The cocoanut, mahogany, date, in its rubber, tamrind, and bay tree, from which bay rum is made, are raised in limited numbers.

The thermometer rarely goes above 90° in the shade or below 40°—average 70°. It stood 80° one day when I was there. Sunstroke is unknown. All kinds of garden vegetables are raised. But the people are quite indolent and lazy on account of the climate. They never look out for to-morrow until to-morrow comes. On the 11th inst., the time came for us to bid good-bye to the land of fruit and flowers, and return to the land of ice and snow. We had a very smooth voyage coming back. On Sunday afternoon we encountered the fog off Sandy Hook, and spent two days at anchor, lulled each night by the music of Sunday Hook fog horn. We arrived in New York at 12 o'clock on Tuesday, March 16th.

F. B.

Local Laconics.

—Hail, gentle Spring!

—Town Committee meet this P. M.

—Ladies should read Morris & Doty's 'adv't.

—The frost is in the ground from 1 to 4 feet.

—The demand for low-priced houses continues.

—Montroe street is moving for a plank sidewalk.

—A snow storm, by way of novelty, on Wednesday.

—Dr. Macfarlan has returned from his southern trip.

—It will soon be time to begin to think about gardening.

—Our shoe-dealers are making gum-shoes a specialty.

—The winter of 74-5: Will its back-bone ever be broken?

—The need of sidewalks in many places is now fully appreciated.

—Last year, at this time, our farmers had their oats in the ground.

—Agents say houses don't rent well where there are no modern sidewalks.

—Murdin & Co. have had a number of calls for building lots at low prices the past week.

—By special request, the Rev. Fred. Bell will come in April, deliver his Lecture "The Story of My Life," at the Baptist Church, Bloomfield.

—Willard Richards, Esq. and Misses Anna F. Randolph and Julia F. Dodd were registered at the Grand National Hotel, Jacksonville Fla., March 19th.

—Geo. Bench of this place, aged 20, while at work repairing the canal in Newark, on Monday, was seriously injured by a fall of earth. His leg was broken and he received other injuries.

—The Union Home and Scho. 4 Corps Band of New York has been engaged to give a Concert in the Church of the Presbyterian Society on Wednesday eve, April 7th.

—Newark is deep in the "Orthogrammania." A spelling match comes off to-night in Association Hall, at which Judge Titworth is to preside, with Hon. John Whitehead and Dr. S. B. Hunt as referees. Plenty of fun is anticipated.

—Sidewalk District Meetings, to vote money for grading, are to be held on Monday, March 29th at 8 P. M., as follows: District No. 1, Stone House Plains School House, No. 2, Friendship Hall, No. 3, C. Pierson's Store, No. 4, D. L. & W. R. R. Depot.

—At the annual meeting of the Young Men's Christian Union of the M. E. Church held Monday evening March 15th, the following persons were elected as officers for the ensuing year: Fred. H. Carl, Pres't., Joseph Rudy, Vice Pres't., Frank Westlake, Sec'y, and Cyrus Pierson, Treas.

—A memorial is to be presented to the Town Committee to-day, from the Trustees of the Stone House Plains District School, declining to receive in their School the almshouse children, unless payment for tuition is made by the township. There are generally from 3 to 6 children of this class.

—Anamnetos, or Queen of White.

It will be to the interest of the ladies of Bloomfield and vicinity to call at Mrs. M. A. Harvey's Millinery Rooms, 2d door from Post Office, and examine the new and delightful perfume and face powder combined. Nothing like it has ever been offered for sale in this place. As a perfume it is beautiful and lasting, as a face powder it has no equal. Try it. For sale only by Mrs. M. A. Harvey, Bloomfield, N. J.

—The columns of THE RECORD undoubtedly afford the best medium by which the merchants of Newark can reach the residents of Bloomfield, Montclair and vicinity. It is the only paper printed and published in the First Assembly district, embracing five townships. We aim to make THE RECORD the representative newspaper for this suburban territory. Its circulation and influence has steadily increased from the time the paper was established.

The advantages to advertisers are chiefly as follows: Largest and best circulation in these villages (all bona fide subscribers); attractive display, position, and classification of advertisements; extremely moderate rates.

Those who desire to bring their business prominently before the residents of this section would do well to make contracts with us. Estimates and all particulars cheerfully furnished. We do not have time for personal solicitation of advertisements.

In the Legislature on Tuesday, the bill to allow married women to dispose of the insurance policies on the lives of their husbands was opposed by Mr. Kirk, who asked if it was right to give power to a wife to dispose of and sell a policy which the husband had procured before his death for the benefit of her and his children. He moved its indefinite postponement. Mr. Dodd warmly opposed the motion, which was lost, 22 to 28. The bill was then ordered to a third reading. At the afternoon session, Mr. Dodd moved and secured a reconsideration, "inserted an amendment that no woman shall dispose of the insurance policy on the life of her husband without his consent, which was agreed to, and the bill ordered to a third reading.

The Senate Judiciary Committee will not report the Catholic Protective bill until next week. The passage of the bill in its present shape is not at all probable.

A sharp-talking lady was reproved by her husband, who requested her to keep her tongue in her mouth. "My dear," she said, "it's against the law to carry concealed weapons."

Montclair Items.

—Induce your friends to locate with us.

—Mr. H. B. Little has sold his fine property on Park street, to T. R. Carter, Esq., for \$20,000.

—Wm. H. Harris has a number of first-class houses, furnished and unfurnished, to rent.

—J. J. Villiers, humorist, announces an entertainment in Jacobus Hall next Monday evening. It will consist of imitations of prominent authors and actors.

—The rate of yearly commutation between Bloomfield and New York, over the M. & E. Road, has been reduced to \$66., taking effect from April 1st, being \$3 less than last year.

—The Essex Co. Teachers' Institute is to be held in the Public School Building, commencing on Tuesday Morning, and continuing through Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The sessions promise to be of unusual interest.

—By the provisions of the Montclair gas law, as amended, one half the cost of lighting is assessed upon the property immediately benefited, the balance upon the township at large. A petition favored by a majority of the owners (lineal feet) upon a street makes it obligatory on the Town Committee to light such streets. It appears to be the most equitable method that can be devised for suburban lighting.

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—The Vineland Tragedy.

Charles K. Landis, the wealthy and enterprising founder of Vineland, shot and dangerously wounded Eli Carruth, of the Vineland Independent, last Friday. The shooting was done in the heat of exasperation caused by a newspaper paragraph personally reflecting upon Landis. A feud has existed in Vineland for a number of years, there being the Landis and the Anti-Landis factions, the former championed by the newspaper known as the "Weekly," and the latter by the "Independent," edited by Carruth. The victim was noted more as a sharp paragonist than as a logical or argumentative writer, and though his sarcasms and personalities would be regarded as harmless by the average intelligent newspaper reader, they evidently annoyed Mr. Landis to the verge of temporary insanity, and goaded him to the commission of the terrible crime which, in a single moment, probably sends one man to an untimely grave, and irretrievably wrecks a career of which most men might justly be proud.

—William A. Cunningham, of Newark, was arrested last Friday, charged with connecting a plot to have his wife murdered. He offered a young man named Hatfield a considerable sum of money if he would do the atrocious deed. Hatfield revealed the plot to the authorities, at the investigation, but kept up his relation with Cunningham, the two making all necessary arrangements for the murder. The authorities are puzzled to determine the legal means of the charge against the offender. He was released on bail.

—Mr. David P. Srope, of Washington, Warren county, is said to be the oldest Free Mason in the State of New Jersey. He was made a Master Mason in the year 1813—sixty-two years ago. Mr. S. is now in his eighty-ninth year, and is remarkably active for his age. He takes great pride in speaking of his long connection with the Masonic Fraternity, and no doubt attributes his great length of days to the practice of those virtues which the Order inculcates.

While the ferryboat Jay Gould, of the Pavonia line, was en route 4:30 trip from New York to Jersey City, Sunday afternoon, a young girl, passenger on the boat, walked from the cabin to the prow and deliberately threw herself into the water. She seemed to be about sixteen years of age, and was poorly but neatly clad. The boat was stopped and an effort made to recover the body which was not successful.

Since the passage of the Civil Rights bill the colored people of Elizabeth have endeavored to make decided demonstrations of their new privileges; at times they have walked four abreast on one of the principal thoroughfares, crowding male and female white pedestrians to the gutter, and if remonstrated with have showed a disposition to fight.

—Counsel for Michael Sullivan, who is under sentence of death for murdering Daniel Talmage, in Metuchen, have taken this case before the Court of Pardons, to try to influence the Governor to grant a reprieve. Meanwhile Sullivan is sick in his cell in prison in New Brunswick.

—Mr. John R. Runyon has been appointed Post-master of Montclair, vice A. A. Vance, whose term of office expired. The "Jerseyman," edited by Mr. Vance, says the appointment is one "eminently fit to be made."

—The wife of Mr. Ephraim Runyon, a respected resident of Rahway, committed suicide on Tuesday by drowning in a cistern. She had been in ill-health and it is believed she committed the act while under temporary aberration of mind.

"Of all European kingdoms," says the *Courier Journal*, "Spain alone is the shrine of a despair of the nineteenth century."

London is ahead. It has more Jews than Palestine, more Scotchmen than Edinburgh, more Irish than Dublin, more Catholics than Rome, and more thieves than Chicago.

The Boston Globe thinks that the most effective way to find out all about a man's private life and character is to get him on the witness stand in the scandal case. Whatever he may know about Beecher and Tilton, he will have to tell all about himself.

Mrs. Fitch's Diamonds.

A comedy of errors seems to have attended the wedding presentation of the Khedive of Egypt to Gen. Sherman's daughter. Congress passed a private resolution, authorizing the acceptance of the present by Lieut. Fitch, but the important clause to exempt the present from duty was left out. Then another resolution was proposed, but Gen. Sherman protested against it as a rignomole of foolishness. Had it been sent in the first place to the Turkish Minister direct, it would have passed through the State Department, and avoided duty.

These diamonds have been subjected to so much talk and inspection that almost their exact value is ascertained. Their value is not \$400,000, as has been asserted, or anything like it. They are worth \$65,000 to \$70,000 gold, and the duty on them is about \$17,500 (as manufactured jewelry at 25 per cent. ad valorem), or more than a year's salary for General Sherman, and a life-long salary for Mr. Fitch. Engineer Fitch has not the money to spare to pay such an enormous amount of duty as is required, and his wife would not be apt to wear the necklace under any circumstances. General Sherman is not a wealthy man, and cannot support such extravagance. If they pay the duty on the necklace and take it home they would then be at the expense of employing two watchmen, one for the day and the other for the night, and their sleep would be disturbed for fear their watchmen might walk off with the gems. If they were put in the safe deposit company vault they could only serve as an advertisement for the custodians and an invitation to thieves, and might as well be buried in the earth where they were first discovered.

The present is now in custody of the Collector of the Port of New York, where it will no doubt remain till next winter, when something will be done about it. It is suggested, in view of the hopes, fears, misgivings, and uncertainties of the matter, that Mr. Fitch will do with it as Barnum did with his white elephant—sell it off!

Caldwell.

RECEPTION OF THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The promised entertainment of Caldwell High School came off last Friday evening. The chapel was crowded to its utmost capacity; not a seat was vacant, and the aisles were packed, over seven hundred people being present. The multitude of parents and friends gave evidence of the popularity of the school. The entertainment consisted of songs, dialogues, tableaux, and declamation. The pupils, without an exception, did well. The pantomime of "Bachelor in Search of a Wife" produced much immense applause. Master Willie Richmond rendered "Miss Muloney on the Chinese" in an inimitable manner, for which he received an encore. Clarence Kent, who took "Schwitzer" in the "Hardscrabble School Meeting" kept the audience in roars of laughter. The declamations, "Sheridan's Ride," "Lunching the Ship," "Driving home the Cows," were rendered in a manner that showed proficient drilling on the part of the teachers.

Furniture of the most desirable pattern, and in every style, is manufactured and sold by Degrad & Cochrane, of Nos. 152 and 154 West 23d St., New York. They have been many years engaged in this business, and have a well-earned reputation for making the best of goods and selling them at very low rates. Their immense warehouses in 23d St. are worth a visit to our readers at any time, and whoever goes there will meet with courteous attention.

Bloomfield Library Association.

Notice is hereby given of a meeting of the stockholders of the Bloomfield Library Association, to be held at Euclidian Hall, on Monday evening, March 29th, at eight o'clock, to listen to a statement, from the Board of Directors, of the affairs of the Association, and to devise ways and means to complete the Library Building.

The presence of every stockholder is earnestly requested, as the questions to be decided are very important. Please make your arrangements to attend.

By order of the Board of Directors, JOSEPH A. DAVIS, Pres't. D. G. GARABANT, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Members of Olive Branch Lodge No. 51 are requested to meet at their rooms on Wednesday next, March 21, at half past seven, P. M. Address by Brother William Griffin. A full attendance is expected. By order of J. H. EVELAND, N. G. F. DANNACHER, Sec.

School Notice.

The Annual Meeting of Central Union School District for the election of the Trustees will be held in the Central School House, on Monday Evening, April 5th, at a 1/2 before 8 o'clock.

C. PELOUBET, Clerk. Bloomfield, March 22, 1875.

Advertisements.

Situation Wanted.

By a young colored man as cookman, gardener, &c. Call at Peter Thompson's, in rear of Dr. J. A. Davis's residence, Franklin street, Bloomfield.

Wanted, at Montclair.

A GOOD RESIDENCE with one or more acres of land, in a high, healthy location, convenient to schools and churches. Will require seven good bed rooms. An exchange for first-class city property. Address "Excambor," Station E. F. O., New York.

To Rent.

From April 1st, a house, 6 rooms, located on Morris Place. Enquire at this office, or on premises, of MRS. E. M. HULIN. Rent, \$10 per month.

List of Letters.

Remaining unclaimed at the Post Office in Bloomfield, March 24, 1875:

Arnold, Nicholas.
Baldwin, Joseph.
Carmichael, R. E.
Chadwick, J. L.
Cochran, Thomas.
Dalglish, August.
Folds, John.
Furia, Wm. (doctors).
Goshart, J. B.
Houser, William.
Huges, Patrick.
Hubbard, J. M.
Hynes, Daniel.
Kraich, Carl.

Any person calling for the above letters will please say "advertised."

H. DODD, P. M.

—A horse thief was arrested in Oswego, last week, with a horse in his possession. The description, however, did not quite answer to that of the lost one, which had a white star in his forehead. But a bright thought struck the officer. Ordering a basin of warm water and some soap, he began washing the forehead of the horse, and was soon rewarded for his trouble by seeing a nice white star appear. The head been painted.

The petition of twenty-five women to the Governor of Massachusetts that Jesse Pomeroy be executed, impels the Philadelphia Bulletin to remark that if he will only grant their prayer they will doubtless take their twenty-five rocking-chairs and their knitting and all sit around the gallows, as Mrs. Therese Defarge and her gentle sisters of St. Antoine sat round the guillotine of Paris.

Bloomfield Advt's.

SAMUEL MOORE'S.

On Glenwood avenue at the old established stand, You will find the best of Fresh Fish, always on hand. The proprietor, as of old, is SAMUEL MOORE. As polite and attentive as ever before. There the choicest Oysters can always be had. And all kinds of Fish—Bass, Halibut and Shad. Also Vegetables &c.—at the Old Established Spot, On Glenwood avenue—Please forget it not.

Bloomfield Fish Market, Glenwood Ave. Opp. Hayes & Taylor's.

TAYLOR BROS. & CO.,

Are prepared to furnish all kinds of BUILDING MATERIALS, At the lowest Market Prices.

Pine, Spruce and Hemlock Timber, And Lumber of all Kinds.

A Large Stock of MOULDINGS, FENCE PICKETS, POSTS, RAILS, &c.

On hand or worked to order. Scroll Sawing and Wood Turning done to order.

ALSO

MASON'S MATERIALS, COAL, KINDLING-WOOD, &c. HEMLOCK TIMBER, a Specialty at extremely low prices. CALL AND SEE. A superior quality of

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To burn in open grate. Try Some TAYLOR BROS. & CO., Near E. L. & W. H. R. Depot, Montclair, N. J.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF HARD AND SOFT COALS!

AND MASON'S MATERIALS! COMPRISING

HARD AND PALE BRICK of our own manufacture, also LATH, LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER

MARBLE DUST, BLUE STONE STEPS, SILLS, &c. &c. Sidewalks Flagged by Special Contract.

SEASONED WOOD, SAWED, BY THE CORD. Also, KINDLING WOOD to families and stores by the barrel.

BLOOMFIELD, N. J. Office near railroad depot.

C. H. Madison. R. Madison.

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NOW OFFER A SUPERIOR QUALITY OF

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Also, SCRANTON & LAKEWANA COALS. Prepared expressly for family use, in Chest-nut, Stove & Furnace sizes. Delivered "scraped and in good order at the lowest market prices. Also

KINDLING WOOD. Office and Yard corner Liberty and Spruce Streets Bloomfield.

TOWNSHIP OF BLOOMFIELD, Essex County.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES for fiscal year ending March 24, 1875.

For Taxes and Interest \$62,136.97
" Licenses \$11.46
" Sidewalk Assessments 730.50
" License Fees and Fines 62,853.93

EXPENDITURES \$2,505.28
" Contingent Expenses 2,543.35
" Roads 119.46
" Sidewalks 1,940.67
" County Collector 18,779.28
" Schools 52.75
" Sidewalk Grading 15,177.43
" Gas Lamps and Lighting 9,225.07
" Cereals 78.10
" Public Grounds 498.38
" Other Expenditures 184.59

\$1,018.97

J. JOHN F. FOLSOM, Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield, do solemnly swear that the above is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, a true account of the receipts and expenditures for the Township of Bloomfield for the year stated.

JOSEPH F. FOLSOM, Township Clerk. Sw